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Banks.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital: \$10,000,000.
Reserve Fund: \$5,000,000.
Reserve Liability of: \$10,000,000.
Profits: \$10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS:—
J. S. MOSE, Esq., Chairman.
J. KRAMER, Esq., Deputy Chairman.
R. M. GRAY, Esq., S. C. MICHAELSON, Esq., J. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq., Hon. J. J. KERRICK, D. R. SHANNON, Esq., Hon. A. McCORMACK, N. A. SIEBE, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGERS:—
HONGKONG: T. JACKSON, Esq.
SHANGHAI: H. M. BEVIS, Esq.
LONDON: BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., Ltd.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " " "
" 12 " 5 " " " "

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, February 16, 1895.

THE MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital: £1,500,000.
Subscribed: £1,125,000.
Paid-up: £625,000.

BANKERS.

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—
For 12 Months: 5%
For 6 Months: 4%
For 3 Months: 3%
JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, June 18, 1893.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3 per cent. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 per cent. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Hongkong, May 15, 1893.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853. Head Office, London.

CAPITAL PAID-UP: £2,000,000.
RESERVE-FUND: £2,000,000.
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INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 5%
" 6 months 4%
" 3 months 3%
A. C. MARSHALL, Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, May 17, 1894.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL: £2,000,000.
CAPITAL CALLED UP: £251,003.15.0.

BANKERS.

CAPITAL & CREDIT BANK, LIMITED.

Head Office: 3, PRINCES STREET, LONDON.

Branches: BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

Agents: PENANG, SINGAPORE and YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHARTREY INCHBALD, Manager.
Hongkong, November 9, 1893.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Authority given Mr. F. A. MEYER to SIGN our Firm per Procuration has been WITHDRAWN. Mr. JOHANNES PETERSEN has been authorized to SIGN our Firm per Procuration here and Formosa.

JULIUS MANNICH & Co.
Hongkong and Formosa,
8th March, 1895.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. MAX. GROTE in our Firm CEASED on the 28th ultimo.

CHATER & VERNON.
Hongkong, March 5, 1895.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

FROM this date Mr. C. TOURNARE has TAKEN CHARGE of the Agency of the above Company in Hongkong.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.
Hongkong, March 5, 1895.

Intimations.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING of the GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED, advertised for the 23rd February, 1895, and POSTPONED, will be held on THURSDAY, 14th Inst., at Noon, at the Old Offices of the Company, No. 5, Praya Central, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers and passing the Accounts.

SHEWAN & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that at a General Meeting held in London, a FINAL DIVIDEND of 3% was declared on the Company's Preference Shares for the Six Months ending 31st December last.

A DIVIDEND of 5% per Annum was also declared on the Company's Ordinary Shares.

THE DIVIDEND WARRANTS will be READY on the 12th MARCH.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company are CLOSED from this date till the 12th March, inclusive.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, March 6, 1895.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

ATHLETIC SPORTS.

IT is proposed to hold an ATHLETIC MEETING on SATURDAY, 6th April, under A. A. Rules (subject to sufficient Entries being received).

EVENTS.

- 1.—120 yards Flat Race (Handicap).
- 2.—Long Jump.
- 3.—200 yards Flat Race (Handicap).
- 4.—120 yards Hurdle Race, 10 Flights.
- 5.—Half-mile Flat Race (Handicap).
- 6.—High Jump.
- 7.—100 yards Flat Race.
- 8.—Throwing the Cricket Ball.
- 9.—One Mile Flat Race.
- 10.—120 yards Veteran's Race (Handicap).
- 11.—440 yards Flat Race.
- 12.—International Tug-of-War.
- 13.—Putting the Shot.
- 14.—Consolation Race.
- 15.—Bicycle Race, Open to all comers.
- 16.—Half Mile Flat Race (Handicap), open to Soldiers, Sailors and Police.
- 17.—220 Yards, Open to Soldiers, Sailors and Police.
- 18.—Tug-of-War—8 men a side—open to Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the Army, Navy and Police. Each Ship, Regiment or Corps may enter one team only.

Events 1—15 open to all Gentlemen Amateurs who are Members or Visitors of the Hongkong Club, Club Germania, Lusitano, City, Cricket or Victoria Recreation Clubs.

Entrance Fee, \$1 for each event (1—15).

General Entry, \$5.

ENTRIES CLOSE on THURSDAY, 28th March.

Entrance Forms obtainable at the above mentioned Clubs.

E. D. SANDERS, Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, March 6, 1895.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1894.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to Furnish the Underwritten with a List of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1894, in order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st day of March, 1895, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
Hongkong, March 1, 1895.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL: £1,000,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL: £500,000.

Head Office—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors: D. GILLIES, Esq., H. STOUTERPORT, Esq., CHAN KEE SHAN, Esq., CHAN TUNG SHANG, Esq., KWAN HO CHUK, Esq., CHIEF MANAGER.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Interest for 12 months Fixed 5%.

Hongkong, October 23, 1894.

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED,

28, Queen's Road Central.

ASBESTOS PACKINGS of every description. ASBESTOS SHEETINGS, MILLBOARDS, &c. ASBESTOS NON-CONDUCTING COMPOSITION for COVERING BOILERS and STEAM PIPES. CANVAS CORE PACKING (Tuck Form).

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TRAMWAY TICKETS are supplied to Residents and Visitors at the HOTEL at reduced rates.

For further Particulars, apply at the OFFICE 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to THE MANAGER, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Hongkong, September 24, 1894.

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WILKINSON'S ESSENCE OF FLUID EXTRACT OF RED JAMAICA Sarsaparilla

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NEW GOODS by each Incoming Mail.

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Hongkong, March 5, 1895.

Business Notices.

W. POWELL & Co.

THE GREAT SALE POSITIVELY FINISHES

ON Wednesday next.

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

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HYDRAULIC LIFT to all Floors.

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ROOMS TO LET on 2nd and 3rd Floors, FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED.

E. J. RICHARDSON, Manager.

Hongkong, January 21, 1895.

H. RUTTONJEE.

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COMPLETELY EXEMPT FROM OTHER INGREDIENTS. ONCE USED ALWAYS USED.

50 CENTS. A TIN.

H. RUTTONJEE, 13, D'Aguiar Street.

Hongkong, March 4, 1895.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:—

FOR STRAITS, DATE, REMARKS.

LONDON, &c.....Rehills.....Noon, 14th March.....See Special Advertisement.

JAPAN.....Amoy.....Noon, 15th March.....Freight or Passage.

LONDON (Direct), Malacca.....About 20th March.....Freight or Passage.

LONDON via MARSEILLES.....About 27th March.....Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895.

AUSTRALIAN BUTTER.

WOOD'S CELEBRATED COW BRAND VICTORIAN BUTTER.

HOPKINS, GUMMING & Co., 64, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Sole Agents, Hongkong, China and Japan.

Hongkong, January 28, 1895.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Myrmidon, Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on the 17th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, February 26, 1895.

SHELL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

The Co.'s Steamship Star, Captain Wm. DANIEL, will be despatched as above on or about the 18th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

The Steamship Cornwallshire, Captain RICHARDS, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 25th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

SHELL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR MARSEILLES AND GENOA.

(If sufficient inducement offers.) The Co.'s Steamship Spandau, Captain N. HOCKER, will be despatched as above on or about the 26th Instant.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BOMBAY.

The Steamship Ormiston, Captain E. ORMISTON, will be despatched for the above Ports at 5 o'clock p.m., on THURSDAY, the 14th Instant.

For Freight, apply to NIPPON Yusen Kaisha.

Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAYRE AND HAMBURG.

(Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers if sufficient inducement offers.) (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship Gerda, Captain T. ENZENS, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 16th Inst., at Noon.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers, and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1895.

WHITE STAR LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR AMSTERDAM AND LONDON, VIA SINGAPORE.

The Steamship Oceanic, Captain GORDON, will be despatched on or about the 16th March.

The Vessel will call in at PORTLAND to land Passengers for London, and Railway Tickets will be provided free. A quick run home is anticipated.

The Electric Light is installed throughout.

A Doctor and Stewardess are carried.

For Rates of Passage Money and full Particulars, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, February 13, 1895.

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Entertainment.

HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.
By SPECIAL REQUEST, there will be ONE MORE PERFORMANCE OF **'ROBINSON CRUSOE,'** THIS EVENING, the 9th March, 1895, at 9 p.m. Under the Patronage of Commodore BOYES, R.N., and the Officers of Her Majesty's Fleet.
Hongkong, March 9, 1895. 443

Intimations.

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

TENDERS for (3561) THREE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE FULLY PAID-UP SHARES, of the Unincorporated Company of the Share Capital of the Company are invited by the Directors, to be sent in on or before Noon of the 15th day of MARCH INSTANT to the Undersigned, at No. 9, Praya Central. The following Conditions to be observed:—

- 1.—The Tenders to be made upon Forms which may be had on application, and which must be addressed "Tender for Shares" to the Undersigned.
- 2.—The Tenders may be for all or part of the above Number of Shares, and must be accompanied by a payment of 25% of the Amount tendered.
- 3.—In case of registered Shareholders or Non-Shareholders tendering on equal terms, Shareholders will have the preference.
- 4.—Payment in full to be made at my Office within 24 hours after Notice of Allotment has been given, otherwise the Allotment may be cancelled.
- 5.—The Tenders will be opened at 4 o'clock p.m. on FRIDAY, the 15th Instant, in the presence of the General Manager and Board, and Letters of Allotment will thereupon be issued.

By Order,
W. HUTTON POTTS,
Secretary.

Hongkong, March 1, 1895. 428

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Twelfth Ordinary Annual MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, the 23rd March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 23rd March, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 4, 1895. 454

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Eleventh Ordinary General MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 23rd March, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, March 4, 1895. 455

To-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ORDERS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 16th MARCH, 1895.

FIELD BATTERY.

No. 228.—DUTY.—Capt. J. McCALLUM and Sergeant G. C. HAYWARD.

No. 229.—DRILLS.—MONDAY, 5.30 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

TUESDAY, 5.30 p.m., 7-Fr. Gun, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

WEDNESDAY, 5.30 p.m., 7-Fr. Gun, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

THURSDAY, 5.30 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

FRIDAY, 5.30 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

SATURDAY, 5.30 p.m., 7-Fr. Gun, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

SUNDAY, 5.30 p.m., 7-Fr. Gun, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

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SUNDAY, 5.30 p.m., 7-Fr. Gun, Plain Clothes; 9 p.m., Company, Plain Clothes.

To-day's Advertisements.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Seventeenth Ordinary Annual MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at Noon, on THURSDAY, the 28th March, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the General Agents with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1894.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to 28th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895. 501

LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Thirteenth Ordinary Annual MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at 12.30 p.m., on THURSDAY, 28th March, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the General Agents with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1894.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to 28th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895. 502

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

AN Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FRASER MASON'S HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895. 495

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

THE Steamship *Vindobona* having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that the Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., LIMITED, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon on the 16th Instant, on they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godown after the 16th Instant will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 9, 1895. 499

U. S. Mail Line.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIA INLAND-SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

City of Peking (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) WEDNESDAY, April 17, at noon.

China (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) TUESDAY, April 30, at noon.

Perth (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu) SATURDAY, May 18, at noon.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA AND YOKOHAMA, on WEDNESDAY, 17th April, at Noon, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at NAGASAKI, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA, and are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States and Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through TICKETS TO EUROPE have the choice of the Overland Rail routes from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIO GRANDE, and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of \$10.00 Gold in addition to the regular tariff rate.

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Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Amsterdam, &c.	Oceanic (a).	Butterfield & Swire.	About March 15.
Japan.	Ancona (a).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 15, at noon.
Kobe and Yokohama.	Orons (a).	Butterfield & Swire.	March 15, at noon.
London & Port of Call.	Rohilla (a).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 14, at noon.
London, v. Marcelline.	Aden (a).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About March 27.
London, v. Suez Canal.	Myrmidon (a).	Butterfield & Swire.	March 17.
London and Hamburg.	Eliaz (a).	Doddwell, Carhill & Co.	About March 18.
London and Hamburg.	Carmarthenshire (a).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About March 20.
London.	Malacca (a).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 20, at 5 p.m.
London.	Zafiro (a).	Shewan & Co.	March 20, at noon.
Marcelline, v. Saigon.	Saghalien (a).	Armstrong & Co.	About March 25.
Marcelline and Genoa.	Spondilus (a).	Doddwell, Carhill & Co.	About March 13.
Nagasaki, Kobe & Yama.	Merionethshire (a).	Doddwell, Carhill & Co.	About March 12.
New York, v. Suez Canal.	Monmouthshire (a).	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
New York.	Sinram.	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
New York.	Luoy A. Nickels.	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
S. Francisco, v. Japan.	Capit (a).	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	April 17, at noon.
S. Francisco, v. Japan.	City of Peking (a).	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
San Francisco.	Tillie E. Starbuck.	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
San Francisco.	Queen Margaret.	Shewan & Co.	Quick despatch.
Shanghai.	Titan (a).	Butterfield & Swire.	March 10, daylight.
Shanghai and Kobe.	Giacca (a).	Sander & Co.	March 10.
Shanghai & Bombay.	Oroniston (a).	Shippell, Yuen, Kaisha, Shewan & Co.	March 15, at noon.
Singapore & Hongkong.	Gorda (a).	D. Saxon, Sons & Co.	March 12, at 5 p.m.
Singapore & Hongkong.	Catherine Ager (a).	Douglas & Co.	March 12, daylight.
Singapore & Hongkong.	Amoy & T. (a).	Douglas & Co.	March 10, daylight.
Swatow, Amoy & T. (a).	Fokien (a).	Butterfield & Swire.	March 12, at 4 p.m.
Swatow, S'pore & Java.	Hupoh (a).	Canadian P. & O. Co.	March 20, at noon.
Van-o-vor (R.O.), & Victoria (R.O.), &c.	Empress of Japan (a).	Nor. P. & O. R. Co.	March 19, at noon.
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ARRIVALS.

March 9:—

Kung-ping, British str., from Canton.

Zafiro, British steamer, 675, General, March 6, General.—SHEWAN & Co.

Pakshin, British steamer, 835, J. Jenkins, Bangkok February 28, Rice.—Hor Hing Hoo.

Vindobona, Austrian steamer, 2,689, P. Merna, Kobe March 1, and Moji 4, General.—SANDER & Co.

Sibien, British str., 845, A. Murphy, Saigon March 4, Rice.—BRADLEY & Co.

Titan, British steamer, 1,525, J. S. Thompson, Manchester January 16, and Singapore March 2, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Thales, British str., 820, H. Bathurst, Taiwanfo March 5, Amoy 6, and Swatow 8, General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

Canton, British steamer, 1,110, Theo. H. Sellars, Shanghai via Port March 5, 4 a.m., General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Alexandrine, German cruiser, from a cruise.

Oakley, British steamer, 1,746, Wm. Mahood, New York January 4, General.—DODD, CARILL & Co.

Manila, for Shanghai.

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Helicon, for Swatow.

Falco, for Kutchinot.

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Union Church, Kennedy Road.—Minister, Rev. G. J. Williams.—Services at 11.00 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Roman Catholic Cathedral.—Sundays and Festival Days of Obligation.—Mass, 6 a.m., 7.30 a.m., and 9.30 a.m. Week Days.—Mass, 6 a.m., and 7.30 a.m. Benediction on Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec., 5 p.m.; March, April, Sept., Oct., 6.30; May, June, July, Aug., 6.

St. Joseph's Chapel (Garden Road).—Mass, with Sermon in English, at 9 a.m. on Sundays and Festival Days of Obligation.

St. Francis' Church (Wanchai).—6 a.m., Mass, with Sermon in Chinese. 7.30 a.m., Mass, with Sermon in Portuguese. Benediction, 9 a.m.

St. Anthony Chapel (West Point).—Sundays, Mass and Benediction at 8 a.m. Feast of Obligation, 7.30 a.m.

St. Peter's Church (Sailors' Home).—Service on Sunday, at 11 a.m., and 6.30 p.m. The Holy Communion is administered on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in the month at 11 a.m., on the 2nd and 5th at 7.30 a.m. and on the 4th, at the Evening Service.

Western Methodist Church.—Chaplain, Rev. Wm. Mason.—Divine Service at 10.30 a.m. and 6 p.m. in the Wesleyan Church, Wanchai.

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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

CHINA, JAPAN, AND COREA.
The Manchester Geographical Society
held a meeting on Jan. 21, Mr R. C.
Phillips presiding. Mr Eli Sowerbutts
delivered a lecture on China, Japan, and
Corea.

The inhabitants of these three countries, he said, almost certainly the same people, not the same in the sense that the English-speaking persons were ethnologically one people, but as English and Germans were of the same race. Speaking of the great size of China, the lecturer said that it was thought to be some

His attention has been drawn to the expediency of paying them regularly and feeding them well. Fear and insecurity are wide-spread and the tension of public (negative) opinion is undoubtedly nearer the breaking point than usual. The second

China was to swallow up the Chinese Empire. It was likely that England should absorb the continent of Europe. Fifteen or sixteen countries of the size of Great Britain could thus be made out of China. Japan and China had long been fighting, with varying results, for the supremacy in the East. The United States and the Ceres had made a kind of secret gift in the form of a treaty to China and one in the south to whoever might be the ruling power of Japan. After speaking of Japanese art, the lecturer returned to the high development of education among the Chinese, and described the Confucian system by which is regulated that country in which the number of public schools. He had not very much to say about all that was said in this country in the last 600 years. The people who lived in the lower regions of China were almost compelled to take opium or some similar drug to guard against the dangers of the climate. He also told that the son of the present Prince of Wales had spent his trip in Sunderland as a commandant of a frigate, and had there learnt the principle of under which every bolt was used. This indicated the difference between the Chinese and the Japanese in relation to Western science. The Chinese had taken our models and had not understood them; but the Japanese had investigated to the bottom the principles upon which they were based. He had heard much of the 'opening' of China, and when a door is opened there may be an exit as well as an entrance. It seemed probable that there would be, in the near future, a persecution of Christians in China, and under its influence great numbers of people would be driven from our shores to return. What would be the effect this on America and our colonies? If the immigration out of China became a general thing there might be a similar effect on modern civilisation as was produced long ago by the great shifting of races—our ancestors included—from Asia to Europe.

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(From Chinese Sources)
HAPPY NEWS FOR DEFEATED CHINESE.
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 Prince Kung has obtained a Decree of Mercy from the Emperor that officers and soldiers defeated in battle are not to be de-

ACCORDING to information received from Baku, a number of private individuals, with a capital of only some £4,000, have, with the assistance of a Russian engineer, discovered some rich oil beds at a place called Sarai, about ten miles from Baku.

are to form again according to their respective regiments, at any spot previously indicated by their Generals. This will doubtless prevent disbanded soldiery from huddling around the country and being forced to obtain subsistence by plunder and

the drilling tools struck oil in large quantities at less than 100 ft. from the surface. This discovery, and the opening-out of the still richer oil fields at Grosny, near Vladikavkaz, seems to show that the quantity of oil still to be obtained in the Caucasus, and on both sides of the Caspian, is practically inexhaustible. A gentleman, who has lately returned from Grosny, informs the writer that one of the 'spouters' there at first threw up oil to the height of the dome of St. Isaac's Cathedral, and filled an artificial lake, containing 15,000,000 poods, one pood being equal to about 36 lbs.

and carried our lamps and matches out into the yard, and got ready for another bombardment. The three vessels passed slowly abreast of the city and past the fort to the west without firing a shot, nor did the Chinese fire a single gun. Two of the Chinese vessels then turned about and re-

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the direction of Chefoo. The third vessel went on west to a small Chinese port, 30 li distant, called Lankiek'o and there fired four or five shots—whether on the village or not we have not heard. It then returned and passing the fort west of the city

HERE are some of the Oscarisms in Oscar Wilde's new play 'An Ideal Husband':—

'Since the House of Commons began to be useful it has done a great deal of harm; questions are never indiscreet—answers are never true; All reasons are absurd; Everything is so fresh in the Park, except the people; I always pass on good advice—it is the only thing one can do with it; It is the duty of woman to look pretty—no one

was thrown into a great fright and many who had returned during the last four weeks betook themselves again to flight. The next night a report was spread in the city that the Japanese had landed a little east of the city and were almost at the coast. The city was soon in a fearful panic.

yet discovered her second duty; vulgarity is the behaviour of other people; the lower classes are for ever losing their illusions—they are extremely fortunate in that respect; A man who has once loved a woman will do anything for her except continue to love her; Too much rouge! too few clothes! That's always a sign of despair in women; High intellectual pleasures make girls' noses so large, and there's nothing so difficult to marry as a large nose; Only dull people are brilliant at night; I love talking about nudes at breakfast.

report was wholly false and was probably
 issued by men who wished to profit by the
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6,000	5	51	£9
13,400	1	all	£104
12,500	5	51	£10, sales
1,250	10	all	£65, sales
15,000	1	all	£4.40, sellers
80,000	5	all	£3, sales
500	500	£500	£75, sellers
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30,000	10	all	£4.70
30,000	5	all	£5, sales
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